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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Eiichi FUKUSAWA, et al.
Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned
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For: APPARATUS FOR PRODUCTION OF METAL
CHLORIDE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 23, 2006

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of this application and prior to
calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as
follows:

Amendments to the Claims; —

Remarks are included following the amendments.